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This Communication is submitted in response to the September 13, 2005 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the September 13, 2005 Office Action is due on December 13, 2005. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

A **Listing of Claims** pending in the subject application begins on page 2 of this paper.

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A **Terminal Disclaimer** is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**.

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